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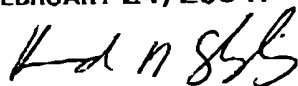
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*IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE*

Applicant: Stefan REH et al.

Title: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR FORMING A  
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THE COVER THEREOF

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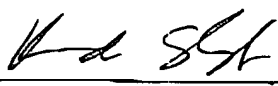
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Sir:

In response to a telephone conversation with Mr. Omar Flores Sanchez and the undersigned concerning the above referenced patent application wherein the Patent Office cannot locate the Response to the Office Action dated August 27, 2004. Enclosed is a copy of the Request for Reconsideration filed with the PTO on November 26, 2003, and a copy of the return post card stamped in receipt.

Applicants believe that the present application is now in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested. If the Examiner has any questions, he is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

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